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PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

L. D.—B. 56/29.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

HENRY MOORE.

KNOW Ye that by virtue of the powers vested in the Governor by section 3 (1) of the Dried Meat Ordinance (Chapter 337), I, Henry Monck-Mason Moore, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Proclamation amend the Proclamation made under the aforesaid section and published in *Gazette* No. 9,612 of October 11, 1946, in Schedule II thereto, by the substitution, in paragraph (4) of condition 2 for the words "the Wilpattu Game Sanctuary and Pomparippu Sportsmen's Reserve", of the words "the Wilpattu South Intermediate Zone".

By His Excellency's command,

J. A. MULHALL,

Secretary to the Governor.

Colombo, 20th February, 1947.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE.

Notification.

I, C. J. Dane Lanktree, Commissioner of Labour, being the competent authority appointed under section 20 (2) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, by the Minister by notification published in *Gazette* No. 9,327 of November 3, 1944, do hereby declare that the cost of living index number for the month of February, 1947, applicable to workers in each of the trades specified in the Schedule hereto is 234.

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 25th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

Schedule.

1. The Tea Growing and Manufacturing Trade.
2. The Rubber Growing and Manufacturing Trade.
3. The Coconut Trade.
4. The Plumbago Trade.
5. The Cocoa, Cardamom and Pepper Growing and Manufacturing Trades.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE TEA GROWING AND MANUFACTURING, THE RUBBER GROWING AND MANUFACTURING, AND THE COCOA, CARDAMOM AND PEPPER GROWING AND MANUFACTURING TRADES.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trades for the month of February, 1947, being 234, the special allowance payable for a normal working day in the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance for a normal working day.
Male worker not under 16 years of age ..	76 cents
Female worker not under 15 years of age ..	60 cents
Child worker ..	53 cents

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE COCONUT TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 234, the special allowance payable for a normal working day (to workers other than those employed on piece work) in the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance for a normal working day.
Male worker not under 18 years of age (including a kangany) ..	74 cents
Female worker not under 18 years of age ..	53 cents
Worker (irrespective of sex) under 18 years of age ..	46 cents

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE PLUMBAGO TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 234, the special allowance payable for a normal working day in the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance for a normal working day.
Male worker not under 18 years of age ..	49 cents
Female worker not under 18 years of age ..	41 cents
Worker (irrespective of sex) under 18 years of age ..	41 cents

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

THE WAGES BOARDS ORDINANCE.

Notification.

I, Douglas Hastings Balfour, Director of Statistics, being the competent authority appointed under section 20 (2) (d) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, by the Minister by notifications published in *Gazettes* No. 9,327 of November 3, 1944, and No. 9,591 of August 16, 1946, do hereby declare that the cost of living index number for the month of February, 1947, applicable to workers in each of the trades specified in the Schedule hereto is 253.

Colombo, 26th February, 1947.

D. H. BALFOUR,
Director of Statistics.

Schedule.

1. The Engineering Trade.
2. The Printing Trade.
3. The Tea Export Trade.
4. The Rubber Export Trade.
5. The Motor Transport Trade.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE ENGINEERING TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 253, the special allowance payable for a normal working day in the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance for a normal working day.	
	Rs.	c.
Unskilled labourers ..	0	92
Semi-skilled workers, Grade I. ..	1	02
Semi-skilled workers, Grade II. ..	1	02
Skilled workers ..	1	02
Kanganies ..	1	02
Watchers ..	1	02
Trade learners and apprentices—		
1st year ..	0	30
2nd year ..	0	38
3rd year ..	0	56
4th year ..	0	68

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE PRINTING TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 253, the special allowance payable for the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance.				
	Rs. c.				
Class A worker other than learner or apprentice ..	60	0			
Class B worker other than learner or apprentice ..	45	0			
Class C worker other than learner or apprentice ..	37	50			
Class D worker other than learner or apprentice ..	30	0			
Class E worker ..	28	15			
Class F worker ..	13	50			
Class G worker ..	30	0			
	1st Year.	2nd Year.	3rd Year.	4th Year.	5th Year.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Class A learner or apprentice ..	18 00	24 00	30 00	39 00	48 00
Class B learner or apprentice ..	13 50	22 50	27 00	33 70	—
Class C learner or apprentice ..	15 00	18 70	22 50	28 15	—
Class D learner or apprentice ..	12 00	15 00	18 00	22 50	—

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE TEA EXPORT TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 253, the special allowance payable for a normal working day in the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance for a normal working day.	
	Rs.	c.
A. Male workers not under 18 years of age—		
(a) Grade II. ..	0	92
(b) Intermediate Grade ..	1	02
(c) Grade I. ..	1	02
(d) Box makers and repairers ..	1	02
(e) Watchers ..	1	02
B. Female workers not under 18 years of age	0	80
C. Workers (irrespective of sex) under 18 years of age—		
Over 14 years but under 15 years ..	0	50
Over 15 years but under 16 years ..	0	55
Over 16 years but under 17 years ..	0	60
Over 17 years but under 18 years ..	0	70

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 80/44.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE RUBBER EXPORT TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index

number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 253, the special allowance payable for a normal working day in the month of March, 1947, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special allowance for a normal working day.	
	Rs.	c.
A. Male workers not under 18 years of age—		
(a) Grade II. ..	0	92
(b) Intermediate Grade ..	1	02
(c) Grade I. ..	1	02
(d) Watchers ..	1	02
B. Female workers not under 18 years of age	0	80
C. Workers (irrespective of sex) under 18 years of age—		
Over 14 years but under 15 years ..	0	50
Over 15 years but under 16 years ..	0	55
Over 16 years but under 17 years ..	0	60
Over 17 years but under 18 years ..	0	70

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

L. D.—B. 59/47.

SPECIAL ALLOWANCE PAYABLE TO WORKERS IN THE MOTOR TRANSPORT TRADE.

IT is hereby notified, under section 20 (2) (b) of the Wages Boards Ordinance, No. 27 of 1941, that the cost of living index number for the above trade for the month of February, 1947, being 253, the special allowance payable in respect of the month of March, 1947, or for a normal working day in that month, as the case may be, will be as follows:—

Class of Worker.	Special Allowance.	
	For the month.	For a normal working day in the month.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Classes A, B, D, and F	30 00	1 25
Class C ..	27 50	1 25
Class E ..	25 00	1 00
Classes G and H ..	27 00	1 25
Class I ..	18 75	0 65
Classes J and K ..	27 00	—

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.**Dearness Allowance payable on Estates to Labourers to whom Wages Boards Decisions do not apply.**

IT is hereby notified for general information that as the Index Number for estate labourers for the month of February, 1947, is 234, the Dearness Allowance payable for each working day in February, 1947, to labourers to whom minimum wages under the Wages Boards Ordinance are not payable is as follows:—

	Up-country.	Mid-country.	Low-country.
	Cents.	Cents.	Cents.
A male labourer ..	54	52	50
A female labourer ..	43	42	40
A child labourer ..	43	42	40

The classification of an estate as Up, Mid or Low shall be as in Notification No. 281 of December 21, 1940, published in the Government Gazette of December 23, 1940.

C. J. DANE LANKTREE,

Colombo, 26th February, 1947. Commissioner of Labour.

Cost of Living Index Number, Working Class, Colombo Town.

Group.	Weight.	Index Number, February, 1947.	
		1947.	1938-1947.
Food ..	63.66	127	
Fuel & Light ..	7.26	125	
House Rent. ..	7.06	133	
Clothing ..	8.78	213	
Miscellaneous ..	13.24	154	
Total ..	100.00		

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